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WASHINGTON, THURSDAY EVENING, MAY 2, 1889.

A BUDGET OF ENGLAND'S TALK.

Lord Londonderry's Reticence and the Koh-I-Noor Diamond.

were happily released from their fear that Churchill would come into Parlia-

during his tenure of office, but he does not mention the perpetual pleas of his august spouse for a release from her unendurable exile among the "horrid Talch"

The tories quote as a proof that the

Irish are not so destitute as reputed the fact that out of the £35,000 subscribed

for the defense fund some £27,000 were raised in Ireland, thus making their lib-

crality a point against them, a method of reasoning worthy of its source, since none of the contributions have been

and heartburning among ambitious lordlings at the selection by Her Maj-esty of the Earl of Earne to fill the va-

cant Knightship of St. Patrick, and it will cost the government some votes, but the Earl is the most active Orange-

man in all the order and won some prominence by suggesting a while ago

to the Protestant employes of Ulster to discharged Catholic workmen. The Irish and Liberal journals take a

malicious pleasure in commenting upor Dhuleep Singh's modest request for the

restoration of the celebrated Koh I-Noor

diamond, which, he asserts, belongs to him by right of succession. The Queen

him by right of succession. The Queen is not so sensitive as to feel greatly an-noyed at the accusation of retaining stolen property, and besides has a valid defense, in that such a proceeding is one of the prerogatives of royally, and a departure from it would bankrupt all the reigning families in Europe.

MR. PARNELL'S EXAMINATION.

He Says He Always Repudiates the

He Says He Always Repudiates the American Dynamiters.

London, May 2.—Mr. Parnell's cross-examination was continued to-day before the Parnell Commission. The witness admitted that Mr. Condon had been connected with the Manchester murders. He stated that he had always repudiated the American Dynamite, and Physical Force-parties, and had denounced them in the House of Commons. He was not aware that the Cincinnal Commercial reported his speeches verbatim as the Irish World did.

Mr. Parnell admitted that he had not found fault in the past with the sections of

found fault in the past with the actions of the Invincibles. He quoted from speeches and from a manifesto issued in 1881 in which he denounced the commission of outrages as an unconstitutional action.

The Sixty Million.

(New York Evening Sun.)
The Centennial began under the auspices of the Four Hondred, but when they got good and ready the 60,000,000 quietly took the reles, even as paterfamilias takes them from his infant's clubby fingers after, in

from his infant's chubby fingers after, in his judgment, the child has played drive long enough.

When this change is made the babe, especially if a spoilt child, often objects with kicks and screams. So did the puny Four Hundred. But all their little rage was ineffectual. When the people wanted to come the expusites had to go.

aged merchant next day)—Mr. Pother-bridge, I should like permission to pay my addresses to your daughter, Miss Amy.—[Chicago Tribune.

Queer Heart of a Tree.

The Pall Mail Gazette says a remarkable discovery has just been made at the Cathays Yard of the Taff Vale Railway Company.

Yard of the Taff Vale Rallway Company. A large elm tree, grown in Gioucestershire, was being ent up into timber, when right in the very heart a cavity measuring 8 feet by 7½ inches in diameter was discovered almost completely filled with the comb of the honey bee, together with a squirrel's skull. No means of access to the hollow was discoverable, neither was decay anywhere apparent, and around the cavity itself no less than fifty "rings," each ring denoting a year's growth, were counted, the outer bark being, too, without a flaw.

Congressman Reed.

Western papers are printing this story about Congressman Tom Reed. He was examined in California for admission to the bar by Judge Wallace. Reed says: "The first question that Judge Wallace asked me was, 'Is the legal tender act constitutional,' I didn't hesitate a moment. I said simply, 'It is constitution,' 'You can pass,' said Judge Wallace. 'We always pass a man who can settle great constitutional questions off hand.'

Not a Bad Man, Either.

(St. Louis Globe Democrat.)

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AT THE WHITE HOUSE

PRESIDENT HARRISON SAYS HE EN-JOYED HIS TRIP TO NEW YORK.

All the Presidential Household That are Back are in the Best of Health. "I Never Felt Better in My Life," Says the President.

Overflow from the New York Centennial remeated the White House to-day, and in addition to the public who wanted to see the President, if only for a minute, hundreds of members of military organizations through the lower floor, but that was as far as they could get. Strict orders were given against allowing any save officials and Congressmen in the library before noon, and these instructions were carried out to the letter. The President was in good spirits after his recent experience at New York, and hurried up from breakfast to get to work at his desk, where a huge mass of correspondence had accumulated. One of the first acts of the Executive was to exercise his prerogative and respite a condense. to exercise his prerogative and respite a condemned marderer. The order in the case was as follows: In the case of Nelson Colbert, District of

In the case of Nelson Colbert, District of Columbia, under sentence to be hanged to morrow, the President has granted a respite until May 17, 1889, to enable an examination of the papers—the appeal in the Supreme Court of the District not having been decided until yesterday.

"It has been a pretty fatiguing ordeal for the past three days," remarked the President to The Chiric representative to-day, "but I feel very much refreshed and invigorated after a good night's rest. I was never better in my life, but I must say I am glad to get back to Washington."

Private Secretary Halford wore a good-natured smile as he responded to the greetings of a number of callers this morning and declared that the trip to New York had been beneficial to every member of the

and declared that the trip to New York had been beneficial to every member of the Presidential party.

"It is not likely," continued the Secretary, "that there will be any appointments made by the President to-day, and certainly nothing will be done regarding the District Commissioners this week."

Among the President's callers to-day were Senator Sawyer, Hon. E. G. Lapham, New York, Representatives Caldwell, Owen, Baker, Outhwaite and Henderson, Hon. John R. Thomas, Illinois; William

Owen, Baker, Outhwatte and Henderson, Hon, John R. Thomas, Illinois; William Smith Brown, Tarrytown, N. Y.; Hon, J. L. Alcorn, Mississippt; J. D. Alexander of the Indiana Legislature of 1887; Dr. John E. Brackett, Washington, D. C.; J. M. Courtney, Hopkinsville, Ky.; John Devon, Greenville, Ohlo; John C. Chaney, Sullivan, Ind.; Z. V. Purdy, Braningham, Ala.; J. D. Adams, New Haven, Conn., and General R. D. Mussey, Washington, D. C.

THINKS WE ARE SAFE. No Danger of Conduit Explositions

Fome time ago there was a number of explosions in the streets of New York caused by the accumulation of gas in the electric subways and Commissioner Raymond requested Professor Richards, the District chemist, to make an examination of the subways of Washington to discover if there were any dangerous accumulation in them. He has made the following report:

Stn: In compliance with your request I Sim: In compliance with your request I have made an examination of the electric subway for the purpose of detecting the presence of coal gas in them and have the honor to make the following preliminary report upon the subject: The loss of gas by leakage in our streets is stated by the president of the Washington Gas Company to be but 40 per cent, of the amount passing into the mains. It is therefore improbable that large leaks should afford a means of supplying sufficient gas to form explosive mixtures in subways. In fact, after exercil examination only four man-holes have been found where the odor of gas could be detected, namely at Pennsylvania avenue and Eighth street and at the fourth man-hole in front of the Executive Mansion. In one of these was the amount sufficient to make the atmosphere of the hole explosive, and even were it so the small space, but a few cubic feet, would not contain sufficient gas to enuse a dangerous explosion if ignited, and would probably do no more than lift the cover.

I am of the opinion, therefore, that there exists no conditions at present for explo-sions in our electric subway, but shall con-tinue my investigations more in detail in the near future. Very respectfully,

THE DEADLY CIGARETTE.

But His Actions Were not so Insan After All. Harry L. Amere, an insane man, picked up a horse and buggy on the street to-day, and realizing his own infirmity drove over to St. Elizabeth's and tried to hreak in. They refused to admit him, and he was taken charge of by his people. It is said that cigarettes were the cause of his insmity.

ENTRA EDITION.

A 6 o'clock cilition of THE CRITTO will appear this afternoon, giving a full account of to-day's baseball games in other cities and of to-day's races here and elsewhere. It will be a great sporting extra.

Hari-Kari's Death-Blow.

usual for an exalted Japanese diguitary who may have mortally offended his sovereign to receive a polite officia intimation to the effect that his ariefde will be pleusing to the authorities; and, until recently, it has been the unvarying practice for the offender to accule accurate resignedly, and, after summoning the unveying practice for the officader to acquiesce resignedly, and, after summoning his relatives around him, to formally disembowed himself in their presence. If the culprit happened to be of exceptionally high rank, the sovereign would, as a mark of honor, send him a jeweled sword, with which to operate upon himself. But all these things are now of the past. Not long ago the Mikado was grievously hurt by the words and conduct of a high court official. The man was an old and very valued servant. It is exceedingly unlikely that the Mikado will ever again trust one of his subjects to execute himself. Still less will His Majesty be inclined to favor exalted criminals with jeweled swords of honor. The offices of a lord high executioner will probably be called into requisition instead, and wicked nobles will, for the future, be saved the trouble and anxiety of being their own lautchers.—[London Giobe.

(Minneapolis Tribune.)

"This Carter divorce case is going to hur Chicago like the very mischief."

"Why so?"
"Because it is taking her so long to get
it. If Chicago keeps on this way Omaha
will get a corner in the divorce market."

[Peoria Transcript.]
Assistant Postmaster General Clarkson
very properly observed Actor day by planting a number of democratic postmasters.

exirs, with its full account of the Races and of Baseball Games through.

by its recent rum veto, has changed its title of "Old Bay State" to that of "Old Bum

MR. SNELLING'S YOUNG FRIEND.

Their Relations Interpreted by His Wife Into a Cause for Divorce.

Mrs. Walter C. Sneiling has left her home at 195 North Saventh street, Newark, the New York Sea of to-day says, and gone to Washington, where her parents live. There she has begun suit for divorce, accusing her hushand of lefidelity. He is a paper dealer in Newark. For mouths his wife has suspected him of improper intimacy with a young woman with whom he was occasionally seen. They have had words about it not Sneiling wrong in his acquaintance with the woman. Two weeks ago Mrs. Sneiling went to Easton, Pa., taking her children with her. Her husband followed her on Saturday and stayed until Monday. She returned home on Wednesday of last week, and then some of the neighbors told her that the young woman in the case had occupied the house day and night during her absence. On Thursday she excused her husband of harboring the young woman in her absence, and he almitted it, but insisted that she was in the house only while he was at Easton, between Saturday and Monday. Mrs. Snelling was not satisfied with this explanation, and packing her trunks she left for Washington, leaving the two children with her husband. She took the youngest child with her. Snelling said yesterday that he had behaved in a perfectly honorable manner with the young woman, merely left-fending her because she was hin need of a friend. He did not deny that be left the woman into his house when his wife was away, but denied that ke was with her. He said he would not attempt any defense if his wife wasted a divorce. Their Relations Interpreted by His Wife Into a Cause for Divorce.

LATE DEPARTMENT NEWS.

Thomas R. Beuton, a clerk in the Land

Thomas R. Beuton, a clerk in the Land Office, resigned to-day.

The resignation of Cadet Michael E. Hughes of the fourth class at the Military Academy has been accepted by the Secretary of War.

John V. White of the First Artillery has been detailed as professor of military science at Agricultural and Mechanical College at Oktibbelra, Miss., to take effect July 1, 1889, relieving Second Lieutenant Henry C. Davis, Third Artillery, who will join his battery.

ion his battery.

The Secretary of War has directed Captain Edmund L. Zalinski of the Fifth Cavalry, the perfector of the Zalinski dynamite gun, to deliver a lecture before the naval torpedo, station and war college at Newport, R. I.

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Bids were opened to-day by PostmasterGeneral Wanamaker at the Postoffice Department for supplying the Postoffice Department and the 58,000 postoffices throughout the United States with official envelopes for the next fiscal year. The amount
of the award when made will approximate
\$100,000.

Wanted to Be Pensioners. Wanted to He Pensioners.

The Commissioner of Pensions has been advised that Catherine Freekman has been arrested and brought before the United States Commissioner at Milwankee, Wis., on a charge of making a false claim for pension as the widow of Frederick Haman, after the had remarried to Freekman. John and Caroline Loabs were also arrested for perjury in the claim. All of them were held for the action of the United States grand jury.

grand jury.

A Pension Swindler Convicted. The Commissioner of Pensions has been advised that Horace Hause, alias Benjamin Prentice, has been convicted in the U.S. Court for the Western District of Michigan upon an indictment charging him with presenting a faise and fraudulent claim for pension. He was sentenced on the 24th uitimo to suffer imprisonment for one year not a half in the Detroit House of Correction.

rection.

A New Private Secretary.

Mr. F. C. Partridge has been appointed private secretary to Secretary Proctor, in the place of Captain Morse, whose occupancy of that place was only intended to be temporary. Captain Morse returns to Proctor, Vt., and takes charge of the Secretary's marble quarries at that place. Mr. Partridge has long held confidential relations with Secretary Proctor in managing his business affairs.

Secretary Proctor's Jaunt.

Secretary Proctor's Jaunt. Sceretary Proctor's Jaunt.

Sceretary Proctor returned to the city from New York this morning. He will leave Saturday morning for a two weeks' trip into the West. He will inspect the military prison at Leavenworth, Kan., and extend his trip to Denver, Chevenne, Omsha, St. Paul and Chicage. General Drum, Colonel Barr and Private Secretary Partridge will accompany him, and General Schofield will join the party at Chicago.

The records of the following naval officers recommended by the board of examiners for promotion have been submitted to the President for his action: Commander John W. Philip, to be captain; Lleutenent-Commander M. Sebree to be commander, and Passed Assistant Paymaster Geo. A. Deering to be paymaster.

The Secretary of the Treasury has ap-pointed Herbert Vall of New York to be chief of the Construction Division of the Supervising Architect's office, vice J. A. Sutherland reduced, and William A. Rogers of Ohlo to be chief of a division in the Third

The State Department has granted to Mr. Perry Belmont, United States Minister to Spain, leave of absence for the purpose of attacking the opening ecremonies of the Paris Exposition, to which he has been officially invited by the French Government.

Oklahoma all Right. The War Department officials do not an ticipate any trouble in Oklahoma. They think that the local government is sufficiently strong to preserve peace. General Merritt has returned with his command to Leavenworth, Kan.

A New Postoffice Street Directory.

Proposals Referred. The proposals received on the 1st instant to construct and erect machinery for the Texas have been submitted to the chief of the Burean of Steam Engineering for examination and report.

The Armes Court-Martial. The papers in the court-martial case of Captain Armes are being reviewed by the judge-advocate-general.

Naval Orders. Chief Engineer John Lowe has been or-dered to special duty at the Vulcan Iron Works, Chicago.

Ensign James G. Doyle has been detached from the Constellation and placed on wait Rear Admiral Beiknap assumed command

Rear Admiral Belknap assumed command of the Astatic Station on April 4, flying his flag from the peak of the Omaha at Yoko-homa. He appointed his personal staff, to censist of Captain Frederick V. McNair, chief of staff. Lieutenant-Commander George A. Norris, flag fleutenant; Lieutenant-Commander Cimord H. West, flag sections and Navad Cante C. B. Brittan and retary, and Naval Cadet C. B. Brittain, aid.

News of the Soldiers. Leavesworth, Kan., May 2.—General Merritt and the members of his staff arrived at Fort Leavenworth last evening from Oklahoma. The troops will undoubtedly return this week. Company D of the Sixth Infantry arrived last evening from Fort Lewis, Col.

The Weser All Right. Mr. Droop, the agent here of the North German Lloyd steamers, received a dis-patch to-day announcing that the Weser, which had been reported lost, passed Dover this morning. All well.

(New York Tribune.)

The red, white and blue were subjected resterday to a thorough competitive examination along with the flags of all the other nations of the earth. And white a number of them were good seconds, the Star Spangled Bauner was a good first.

THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL OF CAN-ADA'S SPEECH.

A Long Talk on Things of Interest to Both the United States and Canada -What He Thinks of Reciprocity-

enable them to include an arrangement for effective steamship communication with Europe and Asia, whereby the trade and commerce of Canada will be widely extended and the traffic passing over her lines of communication greatly developed. You have again made liberal provision for extending the rullway facilities of the Dominion and for increasing their efficiency. The act relating to the electoral franchise will, I believe, be found an important improvement tending to economy, and certainly in the administration of that branch of the law.

provement tending to economy, and certainly in the administration of that branch of the law.

The measure by which the system of speedy trials for criminals has been extended to the maritime provinces is likely to prove a valuable addition to our criminal procedure. It is grafifying to know that your address referring to the boundaries of Ontario will lead to the early settlement of the principal question which has remained unsettled to the present time between that province and the Dominion in a manner entirely satisfactory to all concernd. The amendment of the laws relating to copyright will, it is knoped, remove some of the embarrassments under which the printers and publishers of Canada have labored for some years past, without doing justice to authors in this or other countries. You have provided for greater efficiency and economy in the postal service, for giving greater facilities for the actilement of our lands in the Northwest Territories, and for increasing the safeguards of the of our lands in the Northwest Territories, and for increasing the safeguards of life and property on our ships. Many of the other measures, although of a minor character, will be found of great usefulness in conducting the affairs of administration.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons: You have liberally provided for the various requirements of the public service.

Honorable Gentlemen of the Senate and Gentlemen of the House of Commons: In taking leave of you I congratulate you on

Gentlemen of the House of Commons: In taking leave of you I congratulate you on the indications of prosperity which appear in all parts of Canada and on the increasing revenue, which promises amply to meet the appropriations for the year. I sincerely hope that in the season which is now open-ing the labors of our people may be blessed by Divine Providence, and when it shall be my duty to summon you grain, I shall be my duty to summon you sgain, I shall be able to renew the congratulations which I have already expressed on the marked wel-fare and progress of the Dominion.

TWO BROTHERS BURNED.

This Morning.

PHILADELIPHIA, May 2.—At an early hour this morning the four-story stone building attached to the Catholic College, on East Chelion avenue, Germantown, was discovered to be on fire. Great excitement prevailed among the students in the college adjoining, when it was learned that two brothers, Ignatius and Michael Killian, were in the third story of the burning building. Michael junped to the ground but was so seriously injured by the fall that it is thought he sustained fatal injuries.

Ignatius was burned to death. He tried to follow his brother's example, but the flooring gave way under him and he sank into the burning mass of debris. The loss on the burned building, which was used for This Morning.

STILL REACHING OUT.

at Findlay, Ohio,

Chicago, May 2.—A Tethnue special from Findlay, Ohio, says: Standard Oil Company has just made a deal that has seared findlay people as badly as a cyclone. The great monopoly bought the monster Mellott gas well, which is almost within the city limits, and is considered the biggest gas well in Ohio, if not in the world. The Findlay gas trustees and the gas board of Toledo were negotiating for its purchase. The Standard paid \$25,000 cash for the well and \$5 per acre per annum for 600 acres of gas territory surrounding the well. This gives the Standard a hold on the Findlay gas field, for which it has long been scheming, and it is feared this territory will soon he at the mercy of the giant octopus. at Findlay, Ohio,

A "Boomer's" Hard Luck. A "Boomer's" Hard Luck.

GUTHRIE, I. T., May 2.—An old farmer pamed J. M. Barnhouse has arrived here from Uncle John's Creek, ten miles south of King Fisher, suffering from three broken ribs and badly burned about the face and arms. Barnhouse had located on a valuable farm in a fertile valley. Cowboys attempted to dispossess him, but after a desperate fight were driven rway. They then set fire to the prairie grass in the vicinity of Barnhouse's claim, and effected the destruction of the "boomer's" property. In endeavoring to

Burial Permits Issued. Burial Permits Issued.

Buriai permits have been issued by the Health Officer for the past twenty-four hours as follows: Mary Cruit, 85 years; Samuel T. Turner, 20 years; James Greenwood, 85 years; Caroline D. Bartlett, 82 years; Francis P. McChugh, 23 years; John F. Relliy, 67 years; George E. Pritchard, 1 year, aud colored: Priscilla Magruder, 26 years; Sarah F. Butler, 13 years; Geneva M. Parker, 17 years.

Secretary Windom recently wrote a let-ter to Calvin Gorman, a brother of Senator

Pick-pockets by the Wholesale, New Your, May 2.—The fifty profes-sional pick-peckets and sneak-thieves who had been gathered in by the detectives dur-ing the week preceding the centennial fes-tivities were to-day discharged from cus-

nent to-morrow or Saturday

The Scnate's Canadian Committee. Chicago, May 2.—A portion of the Sen-te Committee on Relations with Canada, comprising Senators Hoar, Hale, Dolph ad Allison, held a conference this morning

Ocean Steamers Arrived. NEW YORK, May 2.-State of Nebraska from Glasgew.
Loxhox, May 2.—The North German
Lloyd stepmer Saale from New York for
Bremen passed the Lizard this morning.

Read THE CRITIC'S 6 o'clock

Read THE CRITIC'S 6 o'clock extra, with its full account of the Races and of Baseball Games throughout the country.

The Hanker's Bail Lessened.

Hillsdall, Mich., May 2.—Banker Waldron had another examination yesterday and his bail was reduced to \$1,500.

(St. Lonis Globe Democrat)

It is a singular fact that much as has been written about Washington, particularly with regard to his superior personal virtue, there is nothing to show definitely that he was ever a member of the church. He attended divine services regularly, and lived an honorable and exemplary life, but as to his being a communicant the record is surprisingly uncertain.

MISHAPS OF THE PARADE.

Accidents During the Great Centen-

LONDON, May 2.—It is safe to say that Lord Salisbury, Mr. W. H. Smith and Mr. Balfour have not consumed much time in reading the lately published speeches of that political bull in a china shop, Lord Randolph Churchill. The friends of Mr. Smith Shortly after noon, at Fourth avenue and Fifty-ninth street, one of the floats was wrecked by coming in contact with an overhead electric light wire. The float was known as the "Artists" Car," and upon it was two large pedestals and a triumphal arch twenty-five feet high. On the pedestals were seated about twenty young girls dressed in allegoriment with the strong support of Birmingham behind him and take the leadership of the House of Commons from the newsdealer. Mr. Baifour gives him a very wide berth and Lord cal costumes. As the car passed under through Fifty ninth street the arch was through Fifty minth street the arch was caught by the wire crossing the avenue and wrecked, the fragments being strewn all over the sidewalk. The girls who had been scated upon the car jumped quickly, and all escaped with slight injuries. The wreckel car was abandoned in the street. Julius Sternberger, one of the aides attached to General Butterfield's staff, was thrown from his borse at Forty-seventh street. Salisury has an undisguised horror of the "Democratic Tory."

The Premier is also troubled by the reluctance of Lord Londonderry to retain longer the lord-lieutenancy of Ireland, notwithstanding his promises and the inducements held out to him by the government to stay there. Lord Londonderry is naturally a kind-hearted man and it is an open secret that he would be glad to get away from the unhappy country, where, no matter what salisury has an undisguised horror of happy country, where, no matter what his private disposition may be, his name will be associated now and hence-forth with tyranny and oppression. His-ostensible reason is that he requires all of his time to attend to his private af-fairs, which have fallen into confusion

SMOKE TELEGRAMS.

The System of Signaling Used by Primitive Peoples,

As is well known, the Indians of our As is well known, the Indians of our continent use rising smoke to give signals to distant friends. A small fire is started, and as soon as it burns fairly well grass and leaves are heaped on top of it. Thus a large column of steam and smoke rises. By covering the fire with a blanket the rising of the smoke is interrupted at contact. is interrupted at regular intervals, and the successive clouds are used for con-

veying messages.

Recently R. Andree has compiled notes on the use of signals by primitive peoples, and finds that they are well nigh in universal use, says Science. Recently attention has been called to

Recently attention has been called to the elaborate system of drum signals-used by the Kamerun negroes, by means of which long messages are sent from village to village.

While it was supposed that this re-markable system of communication was confined to a limited region, explorations in the Corgo basin have shown that it prevails throughout Central Africa. The Bakuba use large wooden drums, on which different tones are produced by two drumstricks.

Sometimes the natives "converse" in this way for hours; and from the energy displayed by the drummers, and the rapidity of successive blows, it seemed that the conversation was very ani-

The Galla south of Abyssinia have drums stationed at certain points of the roads leading to neighboring States. Special watchmen are appointed who have to beat the drum on the approach of enemies. Ceechl, who observed this custom, designates it as a "system of telegraphs."

The same use of drums is found in

New Guinea. From the rythm and rapidity of the blows, they know at once whether an attack, a death or festival is announced. The same tribe use columns of smoke or (at night) fires to convey messages to distant friends. The latter are also used in Australia. Columns of smoke of different form

are used for signals by the inhabitants of Cape York and the neighboring islands. In Victoria hollow trees are filled with fresh leaves, which are lighted. The signals thus made are understood by their friends.

In Eastern Australia the movements of a traveler were made known by columns of smoke, and so was the dis-covery of a whale in Portland Bay. These notes, which might be increased considerably, show the general exist-ence of methods of communication over

long distances—the art of telegraphing in its first stages of development.

EXTRA EDITION. Whilam McK. Osborne, Michael Kinslow, Ferdinand Huhn, H. D. Barr, Charles D. Campbell, Maurice Murphy, W. G. Pumph-rey, Wm. D. Serrin, Henry King, Jr., E. P. Snyder, Jere K. Knight, Thomas A. Eilis and James L. Ward. A 6 o'clock edition of THE CRITIC

Mr. Charles Frisble Towle, the active and energetic correspondent in Weshington of the Boston Travellee, a journalist who seldom is secopod, returned from the New York Centennial this morning. The reason Mr. Towle returned this morning was that he missed the Presidential train, which left Jersey City at 5 o'clock, and caught the next train that came along. Attorney-General Miller, Major Stofer of the Richmond Dispatch and Colonel Sam. Johnson of the Cincinnal Enquirer are the only other gentlemen traveling by the special who have been heard of as train missers.

was ineffectual. When the people wanted to come the exquisites had to go.

Nothing in this celebration has been select, nothing fashionable. Even the ball was a hopelessly "common" affair, in which the properly vouched-for society people touched elbows with their grocer and the alderman from their ward.

The great mistake of the Four Hundred was in selecting the kind of Centennial they should honor by their special patronage. What they should eclebrate is the centennial of the cravat or the invention of the stove-pipe hat. St. Lotis, May 2.—Arrangements have been made by Benjamin F. Marx of this city and Mr. Louis Nathal of New York, for a series of seventy-five concerts to be given in the leading cities of America by Gounod. The great composer has agreed to lead an orchestra of eighty, and produce a number of his oratorios which have never been heard in this country. been heard in this country.

Seven Employes Injured.

Port Jenvis, N. Y., May 2,—An east-ound stock train ran into the caboose of a Sly Amy.

Miss Amy (at the party)—How nice it is to be accomplished! I sometimes eavy Tillie Upjohn. She plays the zither, the guitar, the plane and the violin, and sings like a nightingale. She paints beautifully, too. I can't do any of those things.

Mr. Peduncle (with sudden interest)—You can do hammered brass work, can't you?

Miss Amy—My goodness, no! I don't believe I have any talent. I can cook well—that's about all.

Mr. Peduncle (in private office of middle-aged merchant next day)—Mr. Petherconstruction train near Hannover, com-pletely demolishing the car and severel-injuring seven employes in the car The injured were taken to Deposit to be cared for. It is thought several will die.

A Jeweller Who Lost His Head. Hoston, May 2.—Two menentered W.B. Morae's jewelry store, 268 Tremont street, last night, and while being shown some dismond pins one of the men grabbed a pin worth \$200 and fled. The proprietor ran after him and the other man secured \$500 worth of jewelry and left. Both are still at large. at large.

Succeeded by a Woman TOPERA, KAN., May 2.—Irwin Taylor, for some time past chief clerk in the office of the Attorney-General, was succeeded yesterday by Mrs. J. M. Kellogg, wife of the Attorney-General, Mrs. Kellogg was admitted to the Bar of the Supreme Court eight years ago, and is a member of the State Bar Association.

General Anthony Wayne's Flag Wanash, Ind., May 2.—Dr. P. G. Moor of this city is the owner of an America flag which was carried by Brigadler-Ger eral Anthony Wayne in his expeditio against the Northwestern Indians in 1702.

CRICAGO, May 2.—The venerable Dr. Samuel F. Smith, author of "America," was tendered a reception last evening the by Nineteenth Illinois Veteran Association at the Sherman House. Canuck Papers Dissatisfied

OTTAWA, ONT., May 2.—Several leading Liberal papers are expressing dissatisfac-tion at the passage of the Weldon Extradi-tion Bill because the Commons strack out the retreactive clause. Same Old Officers.

Boston, May 2.—At a meeting of the newly elected directors of the Mexican Central Railroad yesterday the old officers were re-elected for the ensuing year. Secretary Cook Ill. New Youx, May 2.—Secretary of State Cook is lying dangerously ill at the Gilsey

Fat in the Fire. Elers, I.L., May 2.—John Newman's creamery at Turner Junction was burned yesterday. Loss \$40,000.

'HIS FATE" UNSEALED.

MURDERER NELSON COLBERT RES-PITED A FORTNIGHT.

The Preparations for the Hanging all Complete—The Lope Stretched and Greased—Everything Promised to Work Smoothly To-morrow.

This forenoon President Harrison announced his decision to respite the murdener, Nelson Colbert, the colored man convicted of the murder of Philip Wentzel at the Columbia car stables in October last. The hour for the hanging was fixed at 1 o'clock to-morrow afternoon. Colbert's manner this morning was hardly that of a man who is staring eternity in the face. He is still hopeful. Nearly all his time has been spent in religious exercises, and his spiritual counsel, Messers, Robertson and spiritual counsel, Messels. Fitzbugh, are nearly always with him.



Nelson Collect.

"We never allow a prisoner to be seen by any one when there is any uncertainty as to what will be done with him," said Deputy Warden Russ. It was evidently the purpose of the officials to make sure that nothing should go for the prisoner that might injure his prospects for a respite.

Warden Crocker called at the Department of Justice this morning to ascertain whether any action would be taken as to a respite or commutation of sentence in Colbert's case. A delegation of colored people has been calling on the President and making every endeavor to have Colbert respited and there was a general impression at the jail that the execution would be postponed. Colbert's parents and his niece called on him this morning and had a long conversation with him. Colbert sat behind the grating which separates the cell corridors from the rotunds and his visitors sat on a bench on the other side.

the other side.

His father, a gray-headed colored man, held a little book in his hand, and from time to time would carry his handkerchief to his eyes. The interview lasted about an hour, and Colbert returned to his cell to engage in his devotion. Although the jall officials are willing to indulge him in anything his appetite may care, he eats only officials are willing to indulge him in anything his appetite may crave, he cats only the usual prison fare, asking for nothing whatever. He ate a light breakfast, consisting of hashed meat, wheat bread and coffee. Notwithstanding the possibility of a stay in the execution or a commutation of the sentence, preparations for the hanging have been actively going on. At the end of a corridor in the northeast corner of the jail stands the scaffold, ready now as it has been for years past to carry the death sentence into execution.

From the place where he stands when talking to visitors, Colbert can look into the cerridor through which he is to take his last steps on earth. There is enough of an angle, however, to shut the scaffold itself off from his view. There is pothing to be done to the scaffold except to fasten a rope to the trigger. Just to the left is a cell room in which the man who pulls the rope is located. The curtain was cut this preprise in cover that winey and set the preprise in cover that winey and set the

ope is located. The curtain was cut this norning to cover that window and shut the xecutioner out of sight. The windows on one side of the corridor open into the cell rooms of the prisoners serving jall senten-es and those on the other side look out on

the river.

The rope is a three-quarter-inch hempen.

The rope is a three-quarter-inch hempen. it receives it shrinks to five-eights of an inch or less. A fifty-foot length is taken and stretched by means of block-and-tackle, so as to remove any kinks that there may be in it. If there are any short or uneven strands the rope parts at the weak place, and the process is therefore a test of its reliability. The stretching reduces the size of the rope so as to allow it to pass through the hole in the top beam of the scaffold, which is less than three-fourths of an inch in diameter. It is then thoroughly scando, which is sess than the contrins of an fach in diameter. It is then theroughly gressed with tallow, so as to allow the knot to move freely. There are two ropes in ex-cellent condition which have been prepared and used in previous executions, but it was thought best to get a new one ready for this coension.

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"There is no reason for a bunglesome hanging," remarked Deputy Warden Russ casually, "except under the most extraordinary circumstances. If the rope is thoroughly stretched and all the kinks taken out in that way, there will be none of the glastly twisting of the body which often adds so much to the horror of an excention. And if it is properly adjusted to the scaffold there should be no danger of its breaking."

celbert was informed of his good for-Cellert was informed of his good for-time at about one o'clock this afternoon. He expressed his greatest thankfulness to the authorities, to those who had worked for him, and to Providence. He proposes to spend the time from now till the 17th of the mouth in making preparations for his death. He still feels confident that he will he received as a pention and foreign be received as a pentitent and forgives

A Dakota Phenomenon.

SIOUX FALLS, DAK., May 2.-A pee beavenly phenomenon was seen here iast evening. The sky was perfectly clear, except for a long black cloud in the western horizon, from which protruded immense pillars of irc. They were of a bright red color. The pillars remained for about twenty inhuttes and disappeared.

NEW YORK, May 2.—Billy Murray and Jack Lyman, two bantams, fought for the championship of the world, at 110 pounds this morning, at a point on the Long island Sound, a short distance from New York. The winner was to receive a purse of \$250 and the stakes, \$300 aside. Lyman was knicked out in the thirty-ninth round, both his eyes having been closed. The fight

his eyes buying been closed. The fight tasted two hours.

John Dillon's Eloquence. Loxpon, May 2.—On Tuesday last Mr. sin Dillon addressed a monster meeting at Melbourne. One thousand persons aub scribed to the home rule fund. Mr. Dillon

on Saturday next announce—his decision in regard to the rental questions—between the tenants and landlord on the Vandeleur es-

Building Permits Issued.

tates, which were submitted to his arbitra

N. P. Directors in Session New Yons, May 2.—The directors of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company are holding a meeting this afternoon.

Running in the Mad Again To-day, as Usual.

The races at Ivy City this afternoon promise goed sport though the track will be heavy. A much larger crowd went out than was there yesterday, and the beiting promises to be lively.

Tipstar Wins the First.

Tipstaff won the first race in 106, with ago second and Tom Kearns third. Tipstaff paid 3 for 5.

ANGRY OLD SOLDIERS.

They Hies and Groan Because a Badge was Given Governor Gordon.

New Yora, May 2.—At a remion of Grand Army Veterans, at which Commander-in-chief Warner was the chief gress last right, Colonel Quick of the Reception Committee read an article from a merning paper which stated that Colonel Brake of Drake's Zonavos, Elizabeth, met Governor Gordon of Goorgia, and pinned his badge on the Governor's breast. Hasces and grooms were heard on all alless. Commander flurrows of New Jersey sprang to his feet and said that he would have the matter hypostigated, and if he found that the article was true, Colonel Brake should be court-martialed and expelled from the Grand Army. was Given Governor Gordon

the court-martiated and expedied from the Grand Army.
Colonel Quick then addressed the meeting and said: "No citizen, however loyal he may have been, can in honor wear that badge, much less one that fought against us. Any man who for the sake of noto-riety and mock sentimentality would pin a Grand Army ladge on a man who fought against the Union is unworthy to be a member of the order, and does not know its first principles."

MICHIGAN'S MATRICIDE.

Latimer's Explanation of His Blood-Besmeared Clothes. Besmeared Clothes.

Jackson, Mich., May 2.—Irving Latimer took the stand yesterday in his own behalf. Standing accused of matriode, he was calm and self-possessed. The facts of his returning to Jackson and getting back to Detroit were not denied, but he aware that he came back here to get an Amarican Express money order, with which he intended the following morning to pay a debt in Detroit. He visited a disreputable house while in Detroit, and one of the inmates was placed on the stand. She fully corroborated Latimer's statements. The blood on his soeks came from his bleeding feet; that on his clothes from his thumb, which he host while shutting his grip-sack. He will be submitted to a cross-examination to-day.

YELLOW JACK ABROAD.

Baltimore Doctors Think Gastric Fever is Mistaken for Yellow Fever. is Mistaken for Yellow Fever.

Balfimorf, May 2.—The cablegram announcing the acrival of the stehmship Weser at Bremen, with yellow fever on board, creates great surprise at this port. The Weser sailed from here April 17 with anmber of steerage passengers from the West and Southwest, and all were apparently healthy at the time of leaving port. Health Commissioner Stewart states that she left Baltimore with a clean bill of health. Dr. Steward believes that a few cases of gestric fever, which is common among steerage passengers, has probably been mistaken for the dreaded yellow fever.

BACK DAY AFTER TO-MORROW.

Mrs. President Harrison's Pleasant Visit to New York. New York, May 2.—Mrs. President Harrison was entertsined at dinner at the home of Whitelaw Reid hat night. To-day she will visit at Mr. Stephen B. Elkins' home, and at night dine at Elliot F. Shephard's. To-morrow night she will alzend a reception at the house of Mrs. Vannostrand, in Brooklyn, and she will return to Washington on Saturday.

AN ACCIDENTAL SHOT IN THE EYE. The Dangerous Amusement of Two Colored Boys.

Colored Boys.

Thomas Tibbs, colored, 9 years old, while playing by a brook east of Moore's lane, in the county, was accidentally shot in the right cvy by another colored boy named Carsar Gordon, 12 years old. He was removed to Freedman's Hospital. The disctor pronounced lds wound very dangerous. The Iowa River Lands.

General Stone has just returned from Washington, where he was representing the interests of the river land settlers. He says that Attorney General Miller recognizes the that Attorney-General Miller recognizes the importance of the controversy pending before him, and it is apparent that he is desirous of doing his full duty in the matter. Attorney-General Stone has declined to take the position that the lands were never carned by the improvement company, and, therefore, the Government has a right to maintain an action for forfeiture of them.

Wateranoo, Ia., May 2.—Important discoveries have been made near Flovd, Ia., of remains of the ancient mound builders. A circular mound thirty feet in diameter and about two feet high has been opened and five sheletons found. Three of them were males, one a female and the fifth a babe. These bears are claimed to be the most percent of the remains.

feet of any remains of the mound builds yet discovered. A Flour Mill Burned. Lacrosse, Wis., May 2.—The William Listman Flour Company's Mill was burned last night. The loss on the mill and contents is \$119,000. The lumber district also caught fire from flying sparks and \$40,000 worth of lumber belonging to John Paul was destroyed.

W. H. Barnes, Boston, is at Wormley's, C. R. Issumson, of New Haven is at the Arno.

Bichari Webouthan, Montgomery, Ala., is at Welcker's.

A. H. Pannar and wife, New York, are at the Randall.

Min. and Min. W. J. Bayson, Chicago, are at the Normandie.

Signeramy Windom and family have returned from New York and are at the Arno. San. W. Snall, the great revivalist of At-

San. W. Swall, the great revivalist of At-inta, Ga., is registered at the Metropolitan.

Smart, Pensacela, Fla., are at the American House.

James Kay, Blackhurn, England; Mrs. A. B.,
Myers, Auhurn, N. Y., and A. J. McIntosh,
Buffalo, are at the Arlington.

Mn. and Mrs. G. W. Fletcher, New Hampshire, and Henry Belmer, Norfolk, are at the
Howard House.

James B. Gasron, Gainesville, Ga., Frank
L. Stratton, Lonisville, Ky. James J. Costello,
Roston, and J. H. Pearson, North Carolina,
are at the St. James.

F. C. McGrum, and wife and J. P. Young and
wife, Philadeiphin; J. M. Draid, New York,
D. M. Moore, York, P.a., and E. D. Miller,
Sisromi, are at the Harris House.

HERRY PAGE, New York: F. E. Daniels, B.
B. Borden, and Wife and M., D. E. and wife,
Goldshoro, N. C., and Mr. g. d Mrs. John M.
Bled, Galveston, Texas, R. J. at the Metrojolitan.

ggs Rouse.

J. P. Thompson, Rochester, E. W. Purser, cocklyn; A. H. Simpson, New York; W. W. ooth, Altoona R. H. Norton, Troy, Mo, and r. and Mrs. Dawes, and Mos Dawes, Monval, are at Willard's.

real, are at Willard's.

Homer Lower, Huron, South Dakota; E.

Graner, J. B. Johnson and J. D. Clarke, New
Jerk; Clark Maxwell, Winchester, Va. A.

J. Baner, Chicago, and H. B. Young, Philalopidus, are at the National.

Anono the names on the register at Chamcrille's is that of John Wanamaker of Philalelpina. Mr. Wanamaker arrived has night
ind was assigned to a parhor. He is related
to the Postmaster-General in name only.

John B. Neur, Columbus; W. P. Low, Louis Jean B. Nan, Columbus, W. P. Lee, Louis-ville; Edwin Fitzgerald, Knoxville, Tenn., A. C. Jones, Cincinnati; W. L. Cowles, Cleve-land; N. B. Palne, Boston; Fred. D. Jones, Youngstown, Ohio; Hon, E. B. Jackson, Gov-ernor of Maryland, and Frank S. Harris, Philadelphia, are at the Ebbitt.

EXPLAINS HIS SERMON.

On high Olympus, scorning earthly

When Jove drinks nectar—possi-bly with cream— And rends THE EVENING CRIFIC

through with eare, 'Tis then his comfort is at last

WHAT BISHOP POTTER SAYS THAT HE MEANT.

He Didn't Mean to Leanlt the Presis dent or Anybody Else_Nor Did He Mean to Attack Anyone_He Es-

terms the Archbishop Highly. New Yours, May 2.—Bishion Potter was called upon at his residence on Fifty-nintia street by a United Press reporter this morning, with a view to learning what the reverted gentlemen had to easy about the flerce efficients on the following passage in his section at St. Paul's Church on Tuesday had brought forth. "We have exchanged Washington dignity for Jeffersonsian simplicity, which is another term for Jecksonian valgarity."

The bishop said: "I have heard of the criticisms, but have read none of them as yet."

"It is claimed in some quarters that you usualted the President and attacked the Republican party."
I certainly did not intend to insuit or at-

"I certainly did not intend to insuit or at"ack anyone. I cannot make any explanation just now, but if on reading the criticisms I think it is necessary. I will do so
over my own signature."

The hishor, pech product the idea that he
objected to Archibshop. Corrigon being
shated to pronounce the benediction at the
Sub-treasury.

"The archibshop and myself," said
Bishop Potter, "are on the noost amiable
terms, and I esteem him highly."

The bishop refused to further discuss the
matter.

CHICAGO'S NASTY DIVORCE CASE.

Even Chicago Editors Think the Tes-timeny "Unfit for Publication." Curcase, May 2. The sensational nature of the testimony adduced at the Carter trial yesterday drew an unusually large crowd to Judge Jamieson's court-room

Had it been proper to have charged as admission to a court-room the balliffs could have realized several thousand dollars for some charity by collecting a small sum from these who wanted to hear parts of the testimony which cuitors decided as "unfit for publication."

FIGHTING FOR PRIESTS. The Mexicans Again At War With the

The Mexicans Again At War With the Soldiery.

San Antonio, Tex., May 2.—It is reported here that desperate fighting has occurred at Guamajanato, Mexico, in which were engaged thirty soldiers and policemen and 200 rioters. Latest advices state that the rioters were killed. The trouble arose from the imprisonment of five Jesnit priests, who had been delivering seditions sermons. The populace endexoreal to rescue them, when the fight occurred. The priests are still in jail.

BACK TO THE SCENE OF HIS CRIME.

derer. Taken to Marthoure'.

Nelson Thomas, the negro arrested by Detectives Raff and Horne for the murder of Eliza Foster, whose bodywas found near Benning's, was taken to Marthouro', esterday with his wife, who is charged as accessory, and Matilda Thomas, who is wanted as a witness. It was quite a merry party, as Thomas and his companions sang hymns in a most spirited manner throughout the trip.

A Persistent Office-Holder. New York, May 2.—Thomas F. Gilroy was to-day appointed Commissioner of Public Works, to succeed D. Lowber Smith, the incumbent. Mr. Smith refuses to vacate, claiming that his term of office has not expired. He has barricaded the doors and windows of the office of the Commissioner of Fublic Works and appointed settires at the entrances.

missioner of Fublic Works and appointed schirles at the entrances. New York, May 2.—Connsel for Thomas F. Gliroy, the new Commissioner of Public Works, has procured from Judge Barrett. of the Supreme Court an order to show cause why D. Lowber Smith should not vacate the office of Commissioner of Public Works in favor of Mr. Gliroy.

Tennis in Boston. Bostos, May 2.—The amateur court tennis match for the champion-hip of America was commenced last evening at the Boston Athletic Club building. The first game was between Dr. James D. Wight. first galae was between Dr. James D. Wigna, and Mr. Fish Warren, ex-champion, best 3 in 5 sets. Warren won three straight heats by a score of 6-0, 6-4, 6-1, in the next game II. Emmons beat R. B. Mereaff, 6-1, 6-2, 9-3. Emmons and Warren will settle the championship this eventing.

A 6 o'clock edition of THE CRITIC will appear this afternoon, giving a full account of to-day's bareluff games in other cities and of

EXTRA EDITION.

FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL. The following are the prices of the New York and Chicago markets as reported by special wire to C. T. Havenner & Co., 621 I street northwest:

Can, Pacific, 531 534 Northwest, 1064 1071
Can, South 52, 55 Omaha 331 334
Cen, Pacific, 341 344 do. pfd, 95 934
D. L. & W. 137 138 P.M. 8. 8. 37 363
Del, & Hud, 138 107 Reading 45 454
Eric, 284 29 R. & W. Pt. 269 287
Jersey Cen 36, 36, do. pfd, 794 84
L. & N. 68 634 8t, Paul, 65 66
L. 8. 103 163 Tex, Pac 31 212
M. K. & T. 12 122 Unifor Pac 60 602 Mo. Pac. 71, 72 W. Union, 85, N.Y.&N.E. 43, 43 Petroleum, 84, N. Y. Ceu. 107; 107 Am. Cots'd 55, N. Pac. 25, 25 Atch & Top 48 do. ptd. 60, 61 Chl., B & Q 95

Washington Stock Exchange. Washington Stock Exchange.

Miscellaneous Bonds—W. & G. R. R.
Co., 107: Masonic Hall Ass'n, 107; Wash,
Market Co., 110: Wash, Light Infantry, 1st,
102: Wash, Light Infantry, 2d, 62; Wash,
Gaslight Co., 124; Wash, Gas Scrip, 124;
National Bank stocks—Bank of Wash,
340; Bank of Republic, 185; Metropolitan,
240; Central, 210; Second, 152;; Farmors
and Mechanics, 1084; Cittzens', 125;; Columbia, 135.

Raircad Stocks—Washington & George-town, —; Metropolitan, 110; Columbia, 23; Cap. & North O st., 30; Insurance Stocks—Firemen's, 40]; Frank-lin, 42; Metropolitan, 75; National Union, 192; Artington, 170; Corcoran, 61; Columbia 14; German-American, 180; Potomac, 89; Blergs, 83;

Gas and Electric Light Stocks—Wash-ington Gas, 412; Georgetown Gas, 44; U. S. Electric Light 70. Telephone Stocks-Chesapeake & Poto-

mac, S45.

Miscellaneous Stocks—Washington Mar-ket Co., 10; Washington Brick Machine Co., 230; National Press Brick Co., —; Great Falls Ioc Co., 160), Bull Run Pano-rama Co., 23; Real Estate Title Insurance Co., 117; National Safe Deposit Co., 340; American Graphophone Co., —; Columbia Title Insurance Company, 5c.

Fair; northerly winds; stationary tem-

will be many a day, however, before Now that the new British Minister is safely in Washington, his first tussic with the American reporter will be watched with breathless interest. If he comes off unscathed his diplomatiqueness is assured.

out the country. (New York Herald.) Probibitionists claim that Massachy CANADA'S PARLIAMENT

OTTAWA, OST., May 2.—This afternoon at 3 o'clock His Excellency, the Governor-General, prorogued the third session of the fifth parliament of the Dominion of Canada in the following speech;
Honorable Gentlemen of the Scuate and Gentlemen of the House of Commons In relieving you of the ardious labors which the present session of Parliament have imposed on you, I rejoice that I am able to congratulate you on the number of important and useful measures which have resulted from your deliberations. I have reason to hope that the authority which you have conferred upon my government will enable them to Include an arrangement for effective steamship communication with

A Fatal Fire in Philadelphia Early

on the burned building, which was used for storage and cooking purposes, is not yet known.

The new jury for the May term of the Circuit Court has been drawn as follows: Alexander Brooks, Norman L. Fowler, Charles E. Hodgkins, G. G. Bulkley, Jas. F. Barbour, George B. Wilson, Frederick Wiltberger, W. G. Douglas, T. Monroe Elliott, Win. T. Harris, William Ballantyne, jr., John Ready, Thomas Francis, jr., William McK. Osborne, Michael Kinslow, The Standard Gobbles a Big Oil Well

e at the mercy of the giant octopus.

"boomer's" property. In endeavoring to stop a runaway team Barnhouse was thrown across a ditch and sustained inter-nal injuries, from which it is feared he will die.

forman, asking his resignation as Inspector of Customs for the Baltimore district. About a week ago the Secretary wrote another letter to Mr. Gorman telling him he would be retained.

Secretary Blaine still keeps indoors at the Normandle. Walker Blaine said to-day, however, that he expects the Secretary would be at his desk at the State Depart-